

**UTILITY PATENT
APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL**
(Only for new non-provisional applications
under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

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 - b. Copy from prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))
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 - i. Deletion of Inventor(s)
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in prior application,
see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b)
 5. Incorporation by reference (useable if box 4b is checked)
The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 4b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.
 6. Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)
 7. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary)
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 - c. Statement Verifying identity of above copies
- ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS**
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 9. 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement (when there is an assignee) Power of Attorney

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10.	<input type="checkbox"/> English translation Document (if applicable)
11.	<input type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statement <input type="checkbox"/> Copies of IDS Citations
12.	<input type="checkbox"/> Preliminary Amendment
13.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)
14.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Small Entity Status is claimed.
15.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Claim for Convention Priority <input type="checkbox"/> Certified copy of Priority Document a. Priority of <u>Japanese</u> application no. <u>2002-327585</u> filed on <u>October 5, 2002</u> is claimed under 35 USC 119.
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Multiple Dependent Claims			\$280.00	
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Reduction by 1/2 for small entity				\$385.00
Fee for recording Assignment			\$40.00	
TOTAL				\$385.00

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